

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA       )  
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                          v.                ) 04-CR-30034-MAP  
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MICHAEL A. CROOKER                )

ORDER OF RECUSAL

September 9, 2010

PONSOR, U.S.D.J.

On June 18, 2010 the Court of Appeals remanded this case to this court, directing entry of a judgment of acquittal. U.S. v. Crooker, 608 F.3d 94 (1st Cir. 2010). The mandate in the case has now issued, and a judgment of acquittal has entered in accordance with the First Circuit's order.

The court hereby recuses itself from any further involvement in any proceedings related to this case. A number of motions, including several motions for issuance of a Certificate of Innocence, have been filed. Once the case has been drawn to a new judge, these motions may be addressed.

It is So Ordered.

/s/ Michael A. Ponsor  
MICHAEL A. PONSOR  
U. S. District Judge